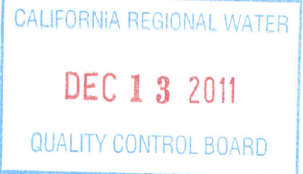


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December 1, 2011

Mr. Bruce Wolfe, Executive Officer
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Reference: Fairfield-Suisun Urban Runoff Management Program
FY 2010-2011 Amendment to the Annual Report

Dear Mr. Wolfe:

This letter is written in response to an e-mail from Ms. Selina Louie of your staff sent on November 14, 2011 to James Paluck, Senior Civil Engineer of the City of Fairfield, asking for a few clarifications to the City's 2010-2011 MRP Annual Report. With this letter, the City is submitting to you the information you requested in your November 14th e-mail.

I certify under penalty of law that this additional information was prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact James Paluck at (707) 428-7479.

Sincerely,

GEORGE R. HICKS
Public Works Director

Attachment

Cc: James Paluck
Kevin Cullen, Fairfield-Suisun Sewer District

City of Fairfield Response to E-mail from Selina Louie on 2010-11 MRP Annual Report

C.4.c.iii.(3) ► Types of Violations Noted by Business Category

Fill out the following table or attach a summary of the following information.

Business Category¹	No. of Actual Discharge Violations	No. of Potential/ Other Discharge Violations
Roofing, Siding and Sheet Metal Work	0	1
Special Trade Contractors, not elsewhere classified	1	0
Fluid Milk	1	0
Plastic materials, Synthetic Resins and Non-vulcanizeable Elastomers	2	2
School Buses	0	1
Gas and Other Services Combined	1	5
Grocery Stores	1	2
Auto and Home Supply Stores	1	0
Gasoline Service Stations	0	1
Eating Places	4	9
Dry-cleaning Plants, Except Rug Cleaning	0	0
Passenger Car Rental	3	2
Coin Operated Amusement Devices	1	1
Elementary and Secondary Schools	0	1

¹ List your Program's standard business categories.

Response to comment on Provision C.5.e.iii:

The Program has developed and the City of Fairfield has implemented a screening program which utilizes the US EPA/Center for Watershed Protection publication, "Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination: A Guidance Manual for Program Development and Technical Assistance."

Per the MRP, the City is required to perform surveys at "strategic collection system check points (one screening point per square mile of Permittee urban and suburban jurisdiction area, less open space) including some key major outfalls draining industrial areas once each year in dry weather conditions meaning no significant rainfall within the past 3 weeks". The MRP allows "Routine surveys that occur on an ongoing basis during regular conveyance system inspections may be credited toward this requirement."

The City of Fairfield encumbers 38 square miles of land, which means that the City is required to perform 38 screening point inspections on an annual basis. This past year, the City of Fairfield performed these inspections on September 15 and 16, 2010 under the requirements mentioned above. Representative sites included industrial, commercial and residential locations. The data from each site is recorded on separate storm system screening forms. As stated above, these inspections occurred with a minimum of three weeks antecedent dry weather.

In FY 2010-2011, City of Fairfield staff conducted well over the minimum number of inspections required. In addition to the 38 screening points mentioned above, the City of Fairfield inspected 3,628 catch basin inlets in FY 10-11, and approximately 89 cubic yards of debris was removed from the catch basins. In neighborhoods or commercial sites, city staff looked for hoses that lead to a storm drain line or body of water. Staff also took notice of any stains, suds, unusual odors, structural damage to streets or gutters, and abnormal vegetative growth in nearby waterbodies.

Response to comment on Provision C.5.f.iii.(4):

The types of complaints received within the City of Fairfield are broken down as follows: Motor Oil/Anti-freeze (6); Landscape Material (2); Paint/Paint Products (2); Construction Debris (1); Trash/Litter (1); and Other (3).